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- The invention in DE 198 19 889 A1 concerns a method and a device for 1. the isolation of nucleic acids from a probe, which in particular is an organic or inorganic material.
- 2. WO 99/57314 relates to a method and a device for the isolation and purification of nucleic acids. According to the invention, after decomposition of a sample the nucleic acids present in said sample are isolated and purified.

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